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1747-1792 JOHN PAUL JONES

A famous Scotch-Irishman naval officer. He was born in KIRKCUDBRIGHT SHIRE, Scotland. His name was originally JOHN PAUL. 1766-1767 - He engaged in African slave trade. He removed to Virginia and assumed name of "Jones". At the outbreak of the Revolution he was commissioned first lieutenant of the flagship ALFRED in the new navy.

He was promoted to Captain and Cruised
around the British Isles doing great
damage to shipping. He entered the
Russian service as Rear Admiral (1788)
He resigned in 1791 and took an active
part in the progress of the French
Revolution. He died in Paris and
was given a public funeral by the
National Assembly. In ~~1905~~¹⁹⁰⁵ his body
was found and brought to the U.S. by a U.S.
Squadron and re-interred at Annapolis, Md.

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Evacuation of Boston.

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Declaration of Independence
was adopted July 4.
Was signed August 2 and
after.

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Battle of Trenton

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France
NECKER was minister of Finance

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Adam Smith's "Wealth of Nations"

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Charleston, S.C. was the first
southern city to join the
Revolutionary movement
South Carolina adopted first
independent state constitution

The garrison of 7000 after 6 weeks
fighting, the city on Sullivan Island
repulsed attack by British fleet.

SEPT. 22, 1776

Nathan Hale was hanged by
the British